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REMARKS

This paper cancels claims 23, 24, 26-32, 34-39. No new matter is involved. MPEP Section 714.16 states:

After the Notice of Allowance has been mailed, the application is technically no longer under the jurisdiction of the primary examiner. He or she can, however, make examiner's amendments (see MPEP § 1302.04) and has authority to enter amendments submitted after Notice of Allowance of an application which embody merely the correction of formal matters in the specification or drawing, or formal matters in a claim without changing the scope thereof, or the cancellation of claims from the application, without forwarding to the supervisory patent examiner for approval.

Hence, it is respectfully requested that the Primary Examiner enter this Amendment After Notice of Allowance since this paper merely cancels claims 23, 24, 26-32 and 34-39.

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